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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Takanobu ADACHI et al.

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For: GAMING MACHINE

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

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Sir:

I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the final Office Action dated July 16, 2007, the period for response being extended to December 16, 2007, by the Petition for Extension of Time filed herewith; please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

Claims 1-14 are pending in the application. By this Amendment, claims 2 and 4 are canceled without prejudice or disclaimer, claims 1, 3, 5, 7, 8 and 10-12 are amended and claims 13 and 14 are added.

II. AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS

(There are no amendments to the drawings)

III. AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

(There are no amendments to the specification)

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